

BONNIE J. SCHUPP

Education: Baltimore's Eastern High (Feb. 1963), Frostburg State College (bachelor's degree), Johns Hopkins University (master's degree), University of Baltimore (doctorate in communications design at age 60)

Career: Middle school/junior high language arts teacher in Baltimore (1967-1975) and Anne Arundel County (1988-2003); camera store owner (1975-1982); photography columnist for the Baltimore Evening Sun (1981-1986); stock photography at iStock/Getty Images (2005-).

Family: Married to retired Baltimore Sun reporter and editor David M. Ettlin, she raised two daughters -- their own, and the other from her husband's first marriage -- at their home in Pasadena. Her previous marriage ended in divorce.

Author: Seven self-published books, most combining her photography and writing, and the memoir "Curious Possibilities" completed three weeks before her death from pancreatic cancer in 2021. It was published posthumously through Amazon by Bonnie's husband, who in accordance with her final wishes continues to oversee her photographic legacy and exhibit/sell her work.

Awards: Second prize (\$4,000) in the 1970 Kodak International Newspaper Snapshot Awards (KINSA); numerous honors in camera club contests; and honorable mentions from online competitions by Women in Photography International, including an image she took while giving birth. One of her works is included in the permanent art collection of the Kinsey Institute (yes, *that* Kinsey).